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1914 LINE OF  
Hand Painted China**

IS NOW ON DISPLAY AT OUR STORE.

We have many new and artistic designs and shapes in Mayonnaise Bowls, Ice Tubs, Vases, Salt and Peppers, Cream and Sugar Sets and many other articles.

SEE OUR WINDOW DISPLAY  
of this wonderful line.

Mr. Dixon is now in the eastern markets buying the largest holiday stock we have ever had the pleasure of bringing to town.

**DIXON, The Jeweler.**

U. P. Watch Inspector.



**DR. O. H. CRESSLER,  
Graduate Dentist.**

Office over the McDonald State Bank.

**Local and Personal**

Mrs. Frank Wilson has been very ill for several days past.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin, of Hershey, visited local friends this week.

County Surveyor Roy Cochran is transacting business in Maxwell this week.

Rev. T. D. Sullivan, of Elm Creek, spent the fore part of this week in town.

Mrs. Frank Hatch returned Tuesday evening from a pleasant visit in Willow Springs with relatives.

William Adair, who was called to Kearney recently by the death of his father, has returned.

Mrs. Gus Chamberlain visited relatives in town Tuesday and returned to Denver Wednesday morning.

Mrs. N. F. Clough returned Wednesday morning from Ogalala where she visited the Arrowsmith family.

Mrs. Carlton, of Grand Island, came Tuesday afternoon to visit her son Earl and daughter Mrs. Joseph Jessup.

Mrs. L. L. Berthe and children left at noon Wednesday for Kearney to visit relatives for a week or longer.

Mrs. F. W. Dixon and family left Wednesday morning for Sullivan, Mo., to visit relatives for a week or longer.

Earl F. Jackson and Miss Della Madison, both of Mayflower, were quietly married Wednesday morning by County Judge Grant.

Mrs. B. F. Sailor arrived in North Platte Wednesday to open up her millinery emporium at The Leader. She has just returned from the east and will show a complete line of fall and winter millinery, strictly up-to-date.

Mrs. Harry Dixon went to Omaha last night to visit friends for a few days.

Raymond Tighe has returned from a few days' visit in Lexington with friends.

Mrs. Fred Heath, and son of Keystone, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Cal. Watkins this week.

Miss Anna Hayes left at noon yesterday for Callaway to spend a week with friends.

Mrs. W. S. Dolson left at noon yesterday for Omaha to visit her son for a week or more.

Miss Ingeberg Hansen has been engaged to teach in the schools in Denmark precinct.

The Epworth league will hold an ice cream social at the residence of Rev. Cram this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fleishman have taken possession of their new home on west Second street.

Thomas Neville, of Ponca, Okla., is visiting his daughter Mrs. Lee Simon, having arrived here recently.

Miss Fredica Matzer, of Omaha, who was the guest of her aunt Mrs. John Cornet this week, has gone home.

Little Truly Forbes will entertain a dozen friends at a party this afternoon at her home on west Sixth street.

"Dutch" Rannie, signal block maintainer at Kearney, has been visiting home folks for a couple days past.

Miss Ada Boutwell will leave the first of next week for Topeka, Kans., to visit relatives for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Farrell, of Wallace, are visiting this week with the latter's mother Mrs. Patrick Ruddy.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Brownfield, of Cozad, returned home yesterday after spending a week with the Surber family.

Mrs. Alice M. Fryer Oleson wife of Henry Oleson, of Sutherland, died yesterday at the age of thirty-two. The remains were brought to this city and the funeral held from the Baptist church this afternoon at two o'clock.

**City Buys \$5,700  
Auto Fire Car.**

The city council held a special meeting Tuesday evening and entered into contract with the Andersen Company of Kansas City for the purchase of an auto fire car at a cost of five thousand seven hundred dollars. C. J. Andersen, of Omaha, representing the company, was present at the meeting and made the sale. The city trades in the present fire wagon, which cost \$2,000, on the purchase price of the new auto car. Mr. Andersen agrees to deliver the car within ninety days, but says he will make an effort to have it here in less time. This car is the same type that has been sold to the fire department at Kearney and also at Columbus.

The car is seventy-five horse power, and in addition to carrying hose and fire ladders, has three chemical extinguishers, one of forty gallon capacity and two of three gallon capacity each. These chemical extinguishers will probably be used five times where water is used once in the extinguishing of fires, as by the use of the new car the scene of the fire can be reached much more quickly and unless the flames have gained much headway the extinguisher will do the work quickly and without the damage which ensues from the use of water. No doubt in many instances of the driver of the car will be able to extinguish the fire without the aid of the firemen, as the chemical apparatus can be handled by one man. The car is sufficiently large and heavy to carry a dozen firemen in addition to the regular equipment.

It looks to this writer as though the council made a good move when it entered into a contract to purchase this motor fire car.

**Prompt Settlement.**

August 23, 1918.

To Whom It May Concern: This is to certify that I have this day received payment in full for loss of my barn, granary, machinery, wagons and harness, and grain, and damage to silo, which was burned a few days ago.

The property was insured by Bratt & Goodman in the Columbia Fire and the loss was settled in a prompt and satisfactory manner and to my entire satisfaction.

ALBERT HASPEL.

We take this method of thanking our North Platte friends for their many kindly acts extended at the funeral of our deceased sister, the late Mary Buchholz, their assistance and hospitality was such as to make lighter our sorrowful burden, and deserve our most sincere gratitude, and this we extend to all. Signed: Mr. and Mrs. Gus Hamer and Dick Buchholz.

The hot weather temperature for the season was broken Wednesday when the local weather bureau reported 103, two degrees warmer than any preceding day this summer. The heat of the sun was increased by a south wind that was wiltingly hot. A radical drop in temperature took place about midnight and yesterday was cool and pleasant.

Miss Irene Van Cleave entertained a number of young ladies yesterday afternoon at a pre-nuptial miscellaneous shower for Miss Mildred Long who will be married in the near future to Ray Lincoln. The afternoon was pleasantly spent and the collection of gifts pretty and useful. Nice refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Kellogg, of Percival, Ia., visited Attorney and Mrs. J. J. Halligan this week while enroute home from Denver.

**Local and Personal.**

Miss Matie Bacon, of Overton, who visited the Surber family, this week left yesterday.

A baby girl was born the early part of this week to Mr. and Mrs. John Eshlemann.

**Wanted—Girl for general house work, family of three, good wages. Apply at Block's Store.**

Russell Gensler, of Gothenburg, who has been visiting at the Fonda home, will leave tomorrow.

Mrs. Pritchard and baby returned yesterday afternoon from an extended visit in eastern points.

Miss Viola Eves left Wednesday for Dickens and Wellfleet to spend two weeks with relatives.

Miss Marie VonGoetz will leave next week for West Point where she has been engaged as teacher.

Mrs. Frank McDonough and son, of Omaha, who visited relatives here this week, left today for home.

Mrs. John Wolback and son William, left yesterday morning for Omaha to visit for a week with relatives.

Verne Powell, of Ft. Scott, Kans., who spent the summer with his father will leave for home next week.

Mrs. Will Bacon, of Cozad, who was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Surber, left for home a few days ago.

Michael Hayes, son Charles and daughter Vauvita will leave Sunday evening for Lincoln to attend the state fair.

Mrs. Frank Winn and family visited her mother Mrs. Manion yesterday while enroute to Denver to spend several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. John Scow, who were married last week at Grand Island, have returned from a honeymoon trip to Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barrett formerly of this city, came from Rawlins yesterday afternoon to visit the latter's mother Mrs. R. H. Langford.

Washing is hard work in hot weather. See the Electric Washer at Hershey's Phone 15.

I. W. Bailey who was a resident of this city fourteen years ago, arrived here yesterday by wagon from Oklahoma and will locate in town.

Mr. B. R. Merrell and son, of Maywood, accompanied by his niece Mrs. Russell, of Junction, Iowa, spent yesterday in town as the guests of Mrs. Eves.

Mr. and Mrs. Flanders, who made their home here for several months, left Wednesday evening for Hastings. While here Mr. Flanders was employed at the round house.

**Why not live in town by paying a little more for your lot. Let's talk it over.**  
O. H. Thoelecke.

Mrs. W. L. Witty, who underwent an operation for goiter at Rochester, Minn., recently is recovering nicely. Mr. Witty will return here shortly to settle up affairs at the A. T. & T. office which will be abandoned at this point in the future.

Mrs. E. W. Mann entertained a number of friends at a miscellaneous shower last evening for Mr. and Mrs. Glen Mann who were married recently. An evening of games and music was enjoyed by the guests and a nice lunch served. Many beautiful gifts were showered upon the newly wedded young people and all present report an enjoyable evening.

**Drugs.**  
For all acute or chronic diseases, the indicated Homeopathic remedy always the safest, quickest and best.  
TWINEM'S DRUG DEPT.

**FALL STYLES**



What shall I wear this fall? That is the question which a great many women are about ready to decide.

We can help you to decide it successfully. After looking through the fashion plates, you probably have a general idea of what you want, while we have the suits that will meet with your ideas of fashion, well fitted tailored suits of individual style.

The minute you see them you will immediately recognize your idea and you will go away from our store happy with the knowledge that the idea you had hoped for has been changed into reality.

**Wilcox Department Store.**

Paul Harrington, of Denver, is visiting his aunt Mrs. John Herrod this week while enroute to Creighton College in Omaha to begin his Senior year.

A baby boy was born the early part of this week to Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hutchison of the Fourth ward and died shortly after birth. The remains were shipped to Maxwell for burial.

**Buchanan & Patterson's  
..Bargain List of Dwellings..**

HERE IT IS.

New five room cottage on East Fifth street, with toilet, bath and heat and only \$2400.00. This will sell quick. Don't delay.

Nice six room cottage, shade trees and blue grass only one block from the Court House. Price \$2200. The lot is worth what we are asking for the property. Easy terms.

2.14 Acres, good six room dwelling, barn, chicken house, windmill located only 8 blocks from the High School. This will be equal to full city block and we make the low price of \$2500. Easy terms.

Five room house and barn, South Dewey street. \$1,250.

Nice six room cottage 721 West Seventh street, handy to new round house. Modern except heat. Price 2,200.

Extra nice 4 room cottage on West Tenth street, in the 600 block. Price \$1,750.

Good eight room dwelling on East Tenth street, in the 900 block. Price \$1,700.

All of these properties are choice bargains and can be bought on easy terms. Be sure and see these before you buy.

**Buchanan & Patterson,  
Sole Agents.**

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Our entire stock of Clothing---Men's and Boys' Suits and  
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Also 300 pairs of Ladies' and Men's Shoes at 25 per cent off

**Sale starts Friday, the 22d of August**

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